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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFICATION OF A NEW

SECONDARY CODE START POINT FOLLOWING A RETURN FROM A

SECONDARY CODE EXECUTION

AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2006 concerning the above-identified U.S. Patent Application, please amend the Application as follows:

In the Abstract

When an NEW SECONDARY -+CODE EXECUTION START POINT signal is generated in a target processor during a test procedure after the return from an interrupt service routine (i.e., an original secondary code sequence), a sync marker is